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## NEWS of the WEEK

**Slaughter Loyal Spaniards**  
Lisbon, Portugal--Reports seeping into this city through strict censorship tell of the execution of 1,200 defenders of Badajoz in an invading force made up of 100,000 men, Moroccan troops, Foreign Legionnaires. As rebels close in on the city, the situation is grim. A similar attack on a larger scale is feared.

**Floors Coughlin**  
Cleveland, O.--Just as he was making another attack on President Roosevelt before 25,000 followers, Coughlin was denounced by the Rev. Charles E. Coughlin, who complained of heat exhaustion and retired to his hotel.

**Runner Dropped**  
Berlin, Germany--For refusing to compete in a scheduled visit to Berlin with a team of American and field stars, Jesse Owens, State negro, winner of three Olympic events, was suspended by Amateur Athletic Union. His explanation that Jesse "must be while the iron is hot" if he is to capitalize on his athletic prowess, and indicated that he had hastened to America to cash in on several tempting professional offers.

**Her Rent Wave**  
Chicago, Ill.--While rains in the West thus far have relieved drought conditions, intense heat waves through the Mississippi valley, with Springfield, Ill., reaching 106, and St. Louis, Mo., 104 degrees. Regardless of rainfall, it is estimated that 75% of the nation's farmers will need WPA help autumn.

**Backs in Church**  
Beylton, N. Y.--Because she wore a low-cut Jersey to church and refused to leave when asked, a young woman was ejected from St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Declared Rev. James A. Smith, pastor: "I propose to allow half-naked girls to enter my church."

**Games Come to End**  
Berlin, Germany--The Olympic was extinguished at the great of all Olympic games, with an attendance record of 4,500,000 paid admissions in two weeks. Germany's nations with 628 points, U. S. Italy 164, Hungary 152, and a 161. More than 5000 athletes from 45 nations entered the competition.

**Bank Stock Liability**  
Washington, D. C.--Ever since the original National Bank Act of 1913, the holder of stock in a bank liable to depositors for double the value of his holdings. Under provisions of the law in 1933 and in 1935, national banks can escape the double liability after 1937 upon published notice in advance. Banks generally are expected to take advantage of the new law.

**Champion Air-Markers**  
New York City--Determined work as part of a committee of world by Mrs. Phoebe Omlie, of National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics, has resulted in the use of 8,000 yellow markers in the air for the guidance of private and professional pilots. Most are in small towns hard to see from the air, are from 7 to 10 feet high, painted on roofs, and the location, meridian line, and direction of near report. Aided by WPA funds, the committee hopes by this winter to have 12,000 markers at 15-mile intervals all over the country.

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### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lyon announce the engagement of their daughter Eleanor to Warren Bean of West Bethel. Both are graduates of Gould Academy in the class of 1932. Miss Lyon has been employed several years in the home of Irving L. Carter. Mr. Bean is the son of Mrs. Gladys Bean and the late Harlan Bean, and is employed at the L. & A. Awning Co., of Auburn. The wedding is to take place in the early fall.

### MOUNT ABRAM FISH & GAME FIELD DAY POSTPONED TO NEXT SATURDAY

On account of rain last Saturday the program of the Mount Abram Fish and Game Association at Bryant Pond was postponed to Saturday, August 22. The schedule of events will follow closely the original program as outlined in the Citizen. It is expected that Governor Brann will be present as planned on the former date. The concessions are in charge of Rev. James McKillop of Bryant Pond and Joseph Vetkowsky of Locke Mills will look after the boat racing.

### FIVE GENERATIONS ELDREDGE FAMILY IN WEEK END PARTY

A very happy gathering took place over the week end at the home of Mrs. Helen Eldredge Berry, when five generations of the Eldredge family met. Mrs. Catherine Eldredge of Manchester, N. H., age 79, was the eldest of this group, and little Sylvia Ann Dyke of Westmont, N. J., age 6 months, was the youngest member. Other members were Mrs. Sidney Dyke, mother of the baby and formerly of Bethel, Mrs. Helen Berry and Harry Eldredge.

Mrs. Eldredge has 22 grandchildren and 27 great grandchildren besides her one great great grandchild. Mrs. Eldredge in spite of her 79 years is still very active. She is a member of the Methodist Church at East Manchester, N. H., and does considerable sewing for the church organization. Since the death of her husband, Edgar S. Eldredge, over a year ago, she has spent her time visiting the various members of her family. She enjoys traveling and the company of young people. Her visit in Bethel is another pleasant event in her life.

### RECEPTION AND SHOWER

A reception and shower were given Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Reynolds by friends and neighbors of Sunday River, Newry, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Saturday evening, at eight o'clock.

When Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds arrived they were very much surprised to find their friends waiting for them. After the gifts were opened two cakes were presented to the couple, each decorated with a miniature bride and groom in the center, which were cut and served with ice cream to the 52 guests.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reynolds, Roger and Royal Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Foster, Isabel and Dorothy Foster, Mrs. Raymond Foster and two children, Miss Anna Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williamson and two children, Mrs. Evelyn Bennett, Miss Ruth Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Powers, Mrs. John Nowlin and children, Carl, John, Rena and Marjorie Nowlin, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bean and daughters, Francis, Kate, Pauline and Jane, Mrs. Ernestine McDonald and son Edward, Martin and Milton Jackson, Clarence Ennis, Miss Nettie Fleet, Hoyt Gunther, Gladys Ward, Mrs. Edith Baker, Mrs. Helen Mary Foster, Miss Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fleet and son David, and the guests of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Reynolds. They received many gifts and useful gifts.

### MOTORCYCLIST INJURED IN COLLISION WITH PARKED TRUCK SUN. AFTERNOON

Thrown from his motorcycle after hooking onto the stationary truck of Albert Kimball near the overhead bridge Sunday afternoon, Gilroy Strout of South Paris sustained a broken leg and a severe cut under the eye. His brother who accompanied him was uninjured. The injured was treated by Dr. H. M. Wilson before being taken to the Central Maine General Hospital at Lewiston.

### SONGO ROAD MAY BE REBUILT THIS FALL

Engineers have completed a survey of the road between the foot of Mill Hill and the Albany town line this week and application has been made for construction of this section of road as a WPA project. The work, if approved, will include straightening the sharp curves near the cemetery, putting in a good base and widening the road to meet present requirements and surfacing with tar. This road is carrying a large amount of passenger traffic and has been deserving of attention for some time.

### IRENE INA COOLIDGE

Falling from a box of jars while climbing to her chair Monday afternoon, Irene Ina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester E. Coolidge of Vernon Street, suffered a fracture of the base of the skull when she hit a high chair wheel and died while being taken to a doctor. She was born in Bethel, Jan. 6, 1935. Besides her parents, she is survived by a brother, Lester Jr.

Funeral services were held at her home Wednesday at 2 p. m., Rev. H. T. Wallace officiating.

### GARDEN CLUB FLOWER SHOW VERY SUCCESSFUL

Nowhere but in the State of Maine could such a varied display of flowers be shown as was on exhibit yesterday in the Garage of Mrs. William Rogers Chapman.

Mrs. Chapman is president of the Garden Club of Bethel, and her garage is so large and well lighted that it made a splendid show room for this wonderful exhibit. The committee on arrangements worked wonders in the Garage, and thanks are due to Mrs. J. W. Carter, Mrs. Rena Foster, Mrs. C. W. Hall, Mrs. Georgeanne Paulkner, Miss Alice Capen, and Miss Minnie Capen for their lovely work. Long garlands of ground pine were made and hung from the center of the room, and draped across the doorway. All lights were covered with this trailing pine, which made a lovely soft background of green. Great credit is given by all to Mrs. R. H. Tibbette, the elected chairman, who planned the affair in the garage, and arranged all the tables for exhibits. A large picture of Dr. Chapman which hangs in the garage and shows him as a young man about to conduct his first Maine Music Festival, has the frame hung with a garland of green in which were placed small white everlasting flowers. His memory will always be beloved and his musical work will be everlasting in this State of Maine.

The entrance to the garage is flanked with tiny pine trees brought from the forest, and opposite the entrance at the back wall of the garage is a little glimpse of Maine beauty for pine trees have been arranged behind a small rock garden, which has been cleverly built into the space with moss and rock. Flowers in perfection line the basement exhibit was a table filled with bits of the Maine woods. Trays with moss, lichen, rocks, and other bits of nature were arranged to show the beauty of the woods. Continued on Page Eight--

### ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bartlett of Bethel announce the engagement of their daughter, Iva Alberta, to Loton F. Hutchinson. Miss Bartlett graduated from Gould Academy in the class of 1929, attended Gorham Normal School, and for the past four years has taught the primary grades in the West Bethel school. Mr. Hutchinson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hutchinson of West Bethel. The wedding is to take place at an early date.

### TOWNSEND FIELD DAY AND PICNIC NEXT SUNDAY, LITTLEFIELD'S PAVILION

A field day and picnic of the Oxford County Convention of Townsend Clubs will be held at Littlefield's Pavilion, Locke Mills, next Sunday, Aug. 23, beginning at 10 a. m. The principal speaker will be Judge John Carabine of Springfield, Mass. Other speakers will be on the program. Everyone is welcome.

### LOCAL STRAW VOTE RETURNS

While returns to the Citizen of the straw vote of the next week's totals should be more representative of the sentiment in this section. We have received four votes for Landon (Republican), and one for Thomas (Socialist).

### DONKEY BASEBALL COMING WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 2

The baseball fans of Bethel will have their first local performance of Donkey Ball on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 2, at 5:30. These are the original House of David donkeys that were in the movies and it will be their last appearance in this State. This game will be a novel entertainment, appealing to young and old, as every player, except pitcher and catcher, rides a donkey. Watch next week's Citizen for lineup and further particulars.

### BAND CONCERT HERE MONDAY EVE, AUG. 31

At a meeting of those interested in forming a Bethel Band, held last night it was announced that the Rumford Band, under the direction of Harry J. Cohen, will give a benefit concert on the Common in Bethel Monday evening Aug. 31. Harold Lurvey, Milo McAllister and Dr. Sherman S. Greenleaf were appointed as local committee to make arrangements for parking, seating and lighting facilities. All contributions and subscriptions accruing at this concert will be given for the use of organizing a Bethel Band. The concert promises to be a treat for Bethel music lovers and a large attendance and contribution is hoped for.

Miss Wilma Hall was a visitor in town Wednesday.

Ensign Reginald Groff of the Salvation Army, Gold representative of Maine, is in town for a few days in charge of the annual appeal for contributions.

Mrs. Herbert Stone of Lovell, Mrs. Catherine Eldredge of Manchester, N. H. and Harry Eldredge of Boston were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry.

Mrs. May Bartlett Watson of Mt. Vernon, formerly of Bethel, and niece, Mrs. Lawrence Squire of Mt. Vernon, Mass. are guests at the Twelfth home to Mayville.

Fill out and send your "Straw Vote" Ballot to The Citizen NOW

### BETHEL AND VICINITY

Fred Hall was in town Wednesday.

P. C. Lapham and C. A. Austin were in Lewiston Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Sarah Webster of Chesterfield is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf.

Mrs. Nellie Mahearn of Auburn visited her sister, Mrs. Fannie B. Lovejoy, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Van, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van, and son Eugene were in Portland Monday.

Mrs. Viola Lord is having a two weeks vacation from her duties in the local telephone office.

Mrs. Verna Berry Dyke and baby Sylvia are visiting relatives in Boston and Somerville, Mass.

Mrs. E. B. Duplessa and daughter Virginia were last week's guests of Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf and family.

Mrs. J. C. Metcalf of Farmington and party of friends were in town Wednesday.

Miss Gwendolyn Stearns returned home from Bates Summer School on Saturday.

State highway police were in town Wednesday checking up on Maine traffic violators.

Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert Rich and family are spending some time at their summer home at Songo Lake.

Rev. and Mrs. S. T. Achenbach of Farmington were in town Wednesday to attend the flower show.

Miss Fay Stanborn is spending a two weeks vacation with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stanborn.

Philip S. Sayles, principal of Gould Academy, and Mrs. Sayles have arrived at their new home in town.

Mrs. D. G. Brooks and son Donald have been sending several days with relatives at Beachwood Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bishop have had as their guests the past week Trygve Bremer and daughter Betty of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Brooks and family and Misses Elsie Chapin and Ruby Jodrey spent Sunday at Old Orchard.

Miss Elizabeth Mason of Worcester, Mass., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mason.

Miss Daisy Chase is enjoying a vacation of four weeks from her home training and will resume her work Sept. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Gibbs and daughter of North Andover, Mass. are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean.

Miss Kathryn Herrick has accepted a position as teacher of French and History at Cape Elizabeth High School.

Mrs. Beattie Sault has returned to her home in Portland after a visit with her father, Ossian Stanley, and sister, Miss Mary Stanley.

Miss Kathleen Wright went to Connecticut Saturday to spend a week's vacation with her cousin, Miss Katherine Loomis.

The Misses Virginia Davis, Agnes Garaway and Francine Warren returned from the Girl Scout camp at Mount Vernon Sunday.

George Harlow is making a good recovery from an operation at the Central Maine Hospital at Lewiston and is expected home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Volian Hotchkiss and daughter Lucille of Portland, Me. were guests of Mr. Hotchkiss' mother, Mrs. J. S. Hotchkiss the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Munroe, Miss Irene Foster, and Charles Hoffman of Bethel, Mass. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hall and family.

Miss Stephen Rose Harbert and family from Lewiston are in town Wednesday, spending the night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hotchkiss.



## NEWS OF THE WEEK

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## Postal Savings at New High

Washington, D. C.—Postal Savings for the fiscal year 1936 mounted to \$1,231,000,000 an all-time high, exceeding the 1935 total by one billion dollars, and the previous fiscal year by \$27,000,000.

## Lindbergh as Scientist

Copenhagen, Denmark — Before the International Congress of Experimental Cytology, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, American flyer, exhibited with Dr. Alexis Carrel, of New York's Rockefeller Institute, the artificial heart-lung apparatus which they jointly developed and with which they have kept vital organs alive and pulsating outside the human body.

## China's Independence Wanes

Nanking, China — With all telegraph wires cut on the North China border and rumors abroad that a battle with "many casualties" had been fought, Chinese leaders recalled the declaration a fortnight ago of Kazuo Kuwahara, Japanese foreign Office Asiatic expert: "Japan will never forsake China. Otherwise Japan's mission—to establish permanent peace in East Asia—would be defeated." Military observers see in a Japanese-Manchukuo-Chinese coalition a solid front of 600,000 people as a bulwark against Soviet Russia.

## Ethel Barrymore Retires

New York City—On the eve of her 57th anniversary, Ethel Barrymore, stage favorite of three decades, announced her retirement from the theatre. This member of America's greatest theatrical family said: "There is no lure in the footlights when you've stared them since you were 12.... I want to stay home like other people."

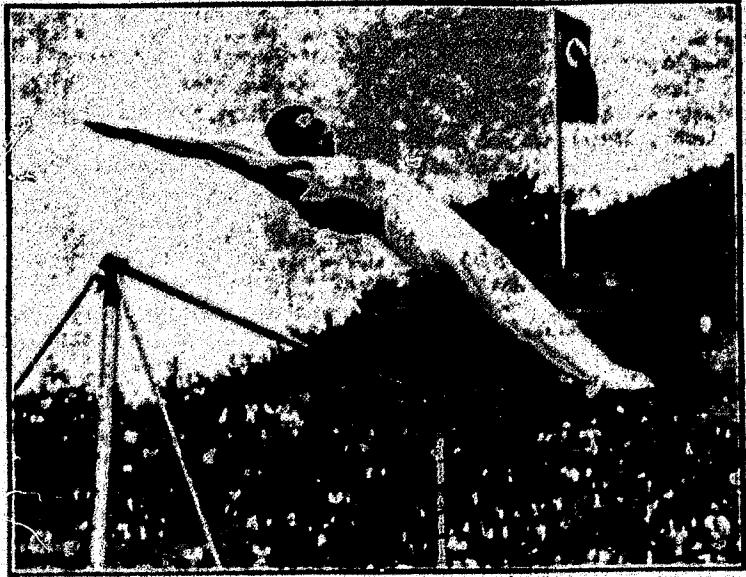
## Condition of the Treasury

(For Last Fiscal Week)

Receipts,	\$88,665,814
Expenditures,	154,878,749
Balance,	2,029,600,204
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Public Debt,	33,401,816,629

## THE NEWS-WEEK IN PICTURES

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GERMANY'S OLYMPIC GOLD MEDALLIST

Alfred Schwarzmann was awarded the Olympic gold medal for the best individual performance in twelve different gymnastic exercises at this year's Berlin games, which ended last week. The XIth Olympics will be held in 1940 in Tokyo, Japan.



SPANISH REVOLT GROWS IN INTENSITY

Reinforced by the arrival of thirty-two bombing planes of German and Italian make, the Spanish rebels plan an air attack on Loyalist troops in Madrid. These Civil Guards in Barcelona are holding a critical point against Fascist attacks.



NOTABLE ARRIVALS FROM EUROPE ON THE ZEPPELIN HINDENBURG

On her last Westward voyage the big dirigible carried a distinguished list of passengers, among them Douglas Fairbanks, movie star, and his wife, the former Lady Sylvia Ashley. Also Max Schmeling, German fighter, who will start training immediately for his battle next month with James J. Braddock for the heavyweight championship of the world, to be held in the Madison Square Garden Bowl, Long Island City, New York.



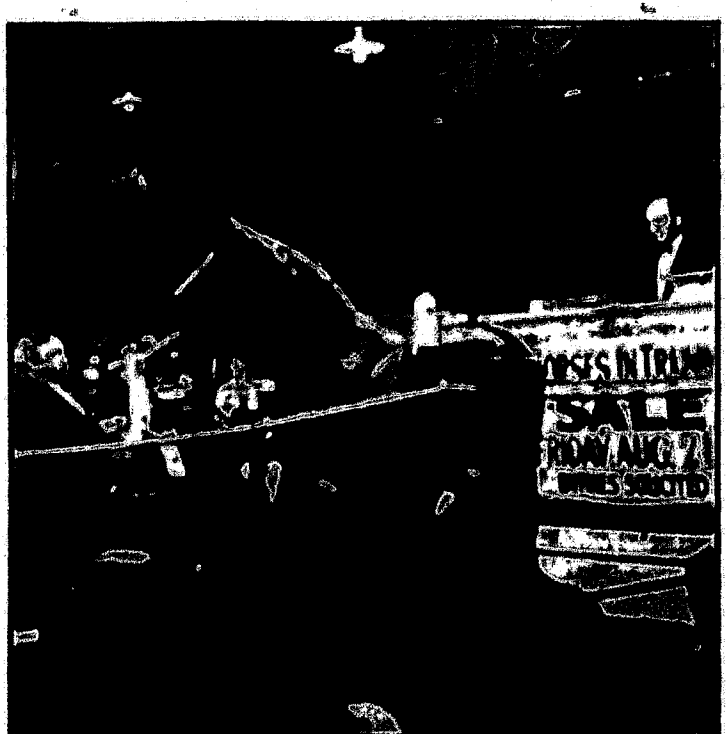
SPRINGBOARD CHAMPION

Bert Degener, of Detroit, winner of the Olympic Gold Medal in men's diving event at Berlin.



MARLENE DIETRICH

Famous screen star on the Champi Elysee, Paris, with her sister (right) and her daughter (left).



PRIZE HORSEFLESH UNDER HAMMER

A picturesque feature of the Saratoga racing season is the annual auction sale of yearling thoroughbreds. Top price this year was \$12,000 for a son of Sir Galahad, and forty-five head sold for \$115,000 on a single evening last week.



LORD BISHOP OF LONDON

Right Rev. and Right Hon. Arthur Foley Winnington-Ingram new visiting U. S. and Canada.

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## SERVE THE DATE — AUG. 28

The general committee for the annual Oxford County Farm Bureau-Pomona Grange Field Day has announced the date of this event to be Friday, Aug. 28. Plans are under way for a full day's program. Though time has been allowed, however, for those wishing to visit friends and to inspect the grounds at the Thurston farm. The following committees have been appointed to take charge of the day's program. These committees have been working with Mr. Richard and Miss Callaghan to arrange the program for the day: general committee: Mrs. Annie May, North Paris; Mrs. Celia Welchville; Arthur Holman, West; Ed Bennett, Bethel; Walcott, Rumford Point; Percy Holt, So. Paris. Sporting events: Olive Ellis, Bryant Pond; Oay, Colby, South Paris. Community singing: Rev. Wilbur Bull, Waterville. Entertainment: Ellis Davis, Poud.

## WEST PARIS

Mrs. Mary Harmon of Cambridge, Mass., who with her grandson and friend has been spending two weeks with Mrs. Laura McKee, has returned home accompanied by Mrs. Bryant, who will remain for two week visit. Mrs. L. H. Penley was hostess to the Past Noble Grand Association, and was played and a penny game served. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Stone motored to Danvers, Mass., to attend the wedding of his cousin, Celia Mart Stone, daughter of Leonard Stone of Danvers and George Spear Boston. Mrs. Jessie Andrews entertained members of her graduating class of South Paris High School, today, at her cottage, Eureka Ave. Summer. Those from West Paris were Mrs. Laura McKee and Mrs. Evelyn Gray. Mrs. Evelyn Gray is an invited guest. Mrs. Robert Young received a telegram Saturday notifying her of the death of her uncle, John Louis, at his home in Sarasota, Fla., Sunday morning.

## STATE OF MAINE

All persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named, at a Probate Court, held at Paris, in the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six, from day to day from the third Tuesday said July. The following matters have been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered: That notice thereof be given to persons interested, by causing copy of this order to be published in the Oxford County Citizen newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, and they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Rumford on the fourth Tuesday of August, A. D. 1936 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and be heard thereon if they cause. George F. Chapman, late of Bethel, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Emily G. Chapman, administratrix. Eugene Cole, late of Woodstock, deceased; Will and petition for the settlement of Eugene E. Cole as administrator with the Will annexed, with bond, presented by George E. Cole, son. Annie L. Heath, late of Bethel, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Abbie A. Swan, administratrix. Nellie M. Holt, late of Greenwood, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Ellery C. Park as administrator of the estate of said deceased, with bond, presented by M. M. Fernald, sister. William N. Hutton, late of Sumner, deceased; Petition for license to sell real estate, presented by Nellie Hutton, executrix. William A. Tuell, late of Bethel, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Charles F. Tuell, executor. William, Peter M. Macdonald, late of said Court at Paris this day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six. FRED W. HOWELL, Register. Being sworn on a form he has filed, no loan found over \$1.00. To accommodate such a far from ordinary way might have to leave of not farming. Boston, Mass.

## WEST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. D. McNeil and Mr. and Mrs. John Jameson and three children, Robert, John and Katherine from Edinburgh, Scotland were entertained at Goodridge Cottage last Monday night. It being the first place they had stopped in the states after leaving Montreal, Canada. They were very much pleased with the hospitality they received and expect to return in a week or two. Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Warden and son Dale of Detroit, Mich., were in town calling on friends. On their return home Edwin Bennett will accompany them for an indefinite period.

Miss Virginia Mason and friend of Springfield, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Cushing for a week. Arthur Cross called on Will Bennett, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. George Young of Norway called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy Sunday.

Frank J. Kinnear, better known as Tick, from Everett, Mass., is a guest at Goodridge Cottage for his annual vacation. All are glad to welcome him back.

Mrs. Cora Brown is at Norway to assist Mrs. George Westleigh in her eating house at the Fair Grounds. A surprise birthday party was tendered Mrs. Phillips and Sherwin Bennett at their home August 8th. There were 22 present.

Walter Lowe and son of Lewisville were in town Sunday. Mr. Lowe lived here when a small boy but had not been here for fifty years. He certainly noticed some very great changes.

A rummage sale is being held at the home of Mrs. Fred Lovejoy for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid.

Mrs. Warren Martin of Harrison is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lettie Hutchinson.

Mrs. Harriet Arndt of Hutchinson, Kan., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allie Mason and sons. She is also the guest of Mrs. Nettie Mason. Mrs. Carlton Saunders was in Rumford one day last week.

Mrs. Laurence Lord motored to Portland last Saturday taking with her Mrs. James Westleigh, Misses Esther Mason and Margaret Bennett.

Miss Ruby Bennett was home from Waterville Sunday.

Clarence Bennett was in Rumford over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Herrick, Charles Herrick and son "Char" and daughter Rosa from Welchville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy.

Mrs. Clarence Bennett and Miss Laura Hutchinson were in Bethel Tuesday.

W. C. Bennett and family attended the Kendall family reunion Sunday at the home of Bert Kendall in Lovell.

Don't forget the Ladies' Aid annual sale at the church lawn, August 28.

Miss Sadie Burk from Portland is the guest of Mrs. Louis Lord.

Miss Mabel Somes, who has been spending a few weeks with Mrs. Doris Lord, has returned to her home in Haverhill, Mass.

Miss Nellie Seabury has returned from Dixfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flacey of Bathurst, Md., have been chatting with Mrs. Blanche's brother the Rev. Alton J. Verrill.

Thursday evening of last week the young people of the Union Church met at the pastor's home for the purpose of organizing a Young People's Orchestra. The evening of music and song was much enjoyed by all. A fact which speaks well for the future of the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Verrill and daughter Ernestine from Bangor, R. I., are spending their vacation at the home of V. Verrill's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Verrill.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jordan and daughter Marlon and Eleanor of Mechanic Falls and Phyllis Meserve of Auburn were at M. F. Taylor's Sunday. Miss Marlon Jordan remained for a longer visit. Other guests at the Taylor home are Phyllis and Malcolm Meserve of Auburn who are passing several weeks here.

On Tuesday, Aug. 25, the Oxford County Farm Bureau Executive Committee will meet at South Paris. At this meeting the tentative program for 1937 will be considered by the committee. Plans for membership campaign will also be made. A discussion of the general plans for the campaign will be taken up. The present membership of 83 is 75 higher than last year. The women's membership, with 54 is only eight below the highest record and 308 men is the highest for 10 years. With these records to maintain a lively campaign is expected during the coming fall.

At this meeting the Executive Committee will fix the foundation for membership campaign.

Another woman has shown good judgment. Howard McAllister at Mrs. Lena Shaw is put. So Paris and he have chosen a building material of his own house.

We just sent him down a lot of Peletox and he is happy to take up a house of his own. Well, whatever he is doing in writing.

"That's the last case I'll lose," said the lawyer as he put a doctored look on his collar down.

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Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mundt's were Dr. Anson Kendall of Everett, Mass., Miss Charlotte Kendall and Thomas Wood of Winthrop, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spinney of Sunday River, Mr. and Mrs. John Silver and son of Gorham, Mr. and Mrs. James Spinney and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mills and daughter, Mark from Bethel Hill, Miss Elizabeth Mason from Worcester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitman and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rogers at South Waterville. This week Mr. and Mrs. Whitman are entertained by Mr. and Mrs. John Trefothen from Portland, Me.

Fred Mundt and family have a 1935 Ford V8 automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tift and son Robert recently visited relatives in New York.

Miss Alice Mundt, Mrs. F. A. Mundt, Mrs. Zenas Mills and Mrs. Verne Mills drove over the new national highway in the Wild River region, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jordan and daughter Marlon and Eleanor of Mechanic Falls and Phyllis Meserve of Auburn were at M. F. Taylor's Sunday. Miss Marlon Jordan remained for a longer visit. Other guests at the Taylor home are Phyllis and Malcolm Meserve of Auburn who are passing several weeks here.

On Tuesday, Aug. 25, the Oxford County Farm Bureau Executive Committee will meet at South Paris. At this meeting the tentative program for 1937 will be considered by the committee. Plans for membership campaign will also be made. A discussion of the general plans for the campaign will be taken up. The present membership of 83 is 75 higher than last year. The women's membership, with 54 is only eight below the highest record and 308 men is the highest for 10 years. With these records to maintain a lively campaign is expected during the coming fall.

At this meeting the Executive Committee will fix the foundation for membership campaign.

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Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hardie and family, who were guests at E. B. Whitman's last week returned to their home in Bracton, Mass. Sunday.

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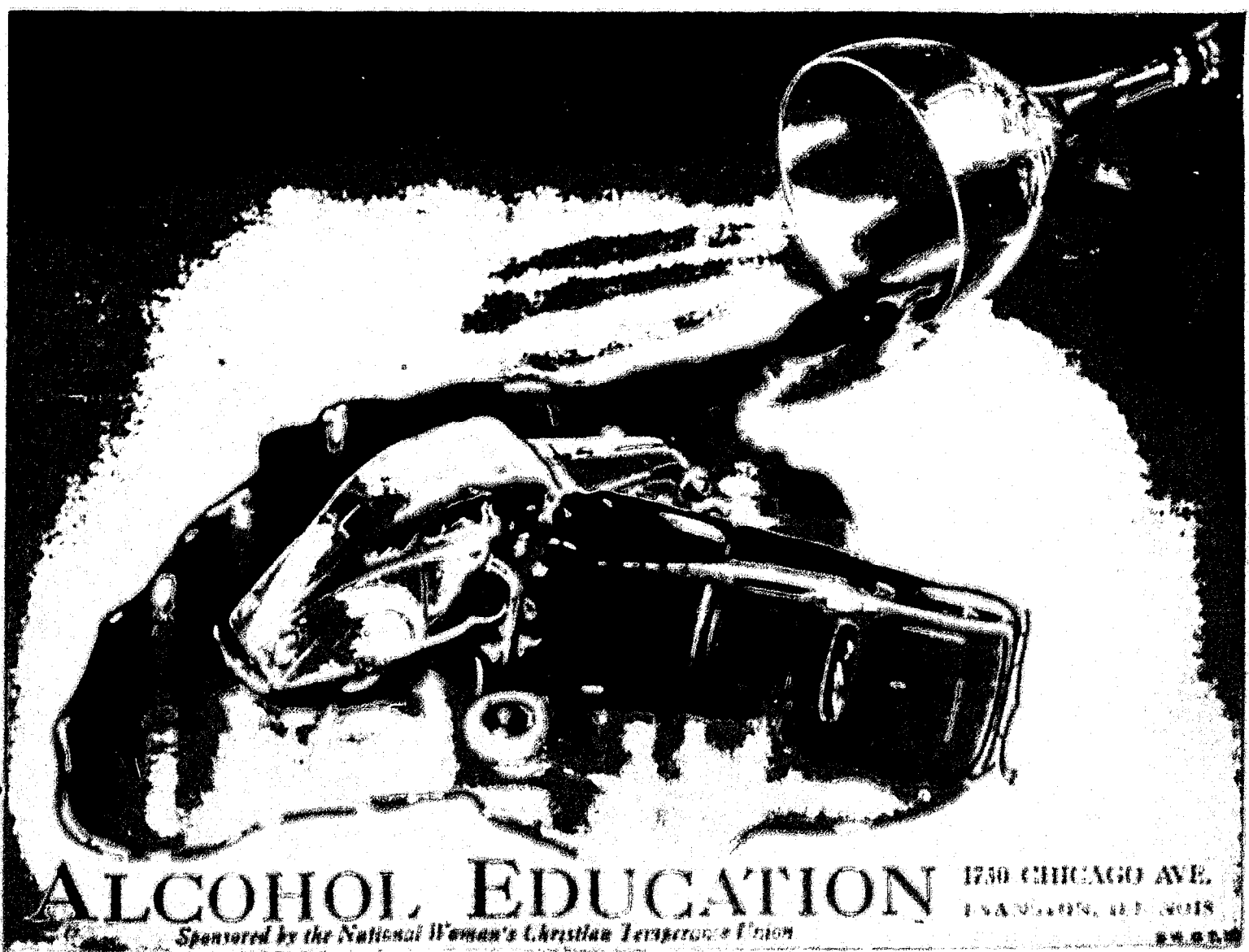
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- John Marshall

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## WHERE LANDON WAS BORN



The house at 410 Main street, West Middlesex, Pa., where Governor Landon, Republican nominee for President, was born in 1887, has become a point of national interest. Today it is occupied by the Rev. Schilling, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church. In 1887 it was occupied by the Rev. Herman Mossman, pastor of the same church, when his daughter, Anne Landon, bore a boy baby named Alfred.

## Landon Opens His Eastern Tour Amid Scenes of His Birthplace

Republican Nominee Will Make Many Platform Appearances to Meet People.

West Middlesex, Pa.—In this village, where he was born 49 years ago, Governor Alf Landon will start his eastern campaign for the Presidency of the United States, August 25. Governor Landon's arrival in this village is bringing a response which indicates the largest turnout in the history of the Quaker Pennsylvania village.

Governor Landon will deliver the first of three major addresses scheduled for his eastern tour. The second will be at Chattanooga, N. Y., the night of August 26. The Landon family, when they first came to West Middlesex during the 1840s, spent much of their time at Chattanooga, which was a general agency in moral, educational and public opinion.

His address will be given the night of August 25 at Buffalo, where Governor Wilson opened his successful campaign in 1912. Governor Landon will make platform appearances on the way to and from the centers.

A rally here will be the first of the series in which thousands of Governor Landon's supporters will be participating. Governor Landon's birthplace is in the center of an industrial area—6,000,000 live within a radius of 100 miles and many thousands are expected to hear the Republican nominee.

West Middlesex recalls that John Schilling, father of Governor Landon, came to this section of Pennsylvania to enter the oil fields. The family moved to Elba, O., where Alf Landon was born, but at the time of his birth in 1887, his father was visiting in West Middlesex at the home of his father.

West Middlesex minister, James Landon, says that his father spent what you haven't heard of in his youth. He was a family that knew hard work and the good. Young Landon was taught the principles of hard work from his earliest childhood.

When these principles were put into practice on a general scale, the state budget deficit was reduced. Landon has brought his attention to the man and to the methods of government, which are to install in working order.

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## NATIONAL LEADER TO SPEAK AT FIELD DAY IN NORWAY

The speaker at the Oxford County Farm Bureau-Pomona Grange field day will be Dr. Carl F. Taensch of the United States Department of Agriculture. Dr. Taensch is a graduate of Princeton and Harvard Universities, has served as professor of philosophy at several colleges, and is now in the Division of Program Planning of the United States Department of Agriculture.

The field day will be on Friday, August 28, at Thurston Brothers' farm in Norway. In case of rain the speaking program will be in the First Congregational Church at Norway Center.

To get to the Thurston farm, those from the eastern part of the county should come to Norway and follow route 118 past Lake Pennesseewassee and watch for signs which will direct them to the field day. Those from the western part of the county may follow route 117 through Bridgton and turn left on Route 118 at Lake Pennesseewassee and follow the directions as above or come through Lovell and North Waterford, and turn left on route 118 where a sign will be posted just before the road passes Little Pennesseewassee Lake.

The Thurston Brothers' main enterprises are dairy and sweet corn. They are milking about 20 head of Guernsey and have 12 acres of sweet corn this year. They have ten acres of improved pasture and at present the cows are grazing second crop clover on part of their hay fields, all of which was cut previous to July 2. This week they have cut the second crop of clover on another hay field.

The program will take place in a pasture under some pine trees on the top of a long slope at the end of the farm. Not only is the view of the lake and the mountains from the top of the hill a fine one, but the hill is a picturesque one. Looking Lake Pennesseewassee and the surrounding country from the top of the hill is a fine view.

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## EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Littlefield and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ervil Curtis and Minnie Littlefield went to Claremont, N. H., Saturday, returning Sunday.

The annual Church Fair was held Thursday, Aug. 13. Sale in afternoon at K. of P. Hall. Supper at 6:30 at church vestry. Following supper a program at Hall. It was a success in every way.

Vacation Bible School closed Friday. Thursday the children with the teachers went to Bryant Pond on a picnic.

Mrs. W. F. Wilson returned to her home in Amesbury, Mass., Friday. She has been the guest of Mrs. A. J. Anderson for two weeks.

Richard Files of St. Johnsbury, Vt., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Files for a few days.

Mrs. Margaret Nichols of Hyde Park, Mass., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. George Owen at Camp Margaret.

Christine Nelson, who works in Boston, is spending her two week vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nelson.

Mrs. Ruth Cuthbertson and daughter of Waterville are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Edwin E. Allen's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor and son Paul of Arlington, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nelson.

Rev. George Owen of Hyde Park, Mass., had charge of the morning service at East Stoneham Church Sunday.

Carlton Barker of Stoughton, Mass., and friend of Amesbury, visited at East Stoneham Sunday.

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## REPUBLICAN RALLY AT FRYEBURG FRIDAY NIGHT

U. S. Senator Wallace White, Republican candidate for reelection, and James C. Oliver of Portland, candidate for representative to Congress, will speak at a rally at the K. of P. Hall, Fryeburg, Friday evening at eight o'clock, D. S. T.

## NORTH WOODSTOCK

Hershel Abbott was a week end visitor of his brother Harold at Old Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Darward Lamy and son Meri were at Wild River Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cushman, sons Bernard and Hanna, sons Knights, Claude, Cushman and daughter Ida were in Washington County blackberrying the week end of the 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coffin and family visited relatives at Paris Hill Sunday.

Mrs. Clinton Buck and family are entertaining her sister and three children from Bath.

Everett Cole and James Coffin were at Lewiston Saturday.

John Knights of Phillips called to see his brother, James Knights, Sunday and also friends.

Chas. Ripley and family have moved to Rowe Hill, Greenwood.

Francis Fuller of Upton has been staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ross.

Mrs. Leona Ross has been visiting the past two weeks with friends at Camden.

Mary Cook of Welchville visited her sister, Mrs. Ross, last week end.

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## SONGO POND

Miss Althea Sweeney is working for Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf, Bethel.


L. E. Wight attended the funeral of Leslie E. McIntire at Watford, Saturday.

Twenty-five members of Bear River Grange went to East Bethel Monday night to confer the third and fourth degrees at Alder River Grange.

There will be no regular meeting of Bear River Grange, Saturday night, Aug. 22, as the Grange is invited to attend Upton Grange on that date.

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